



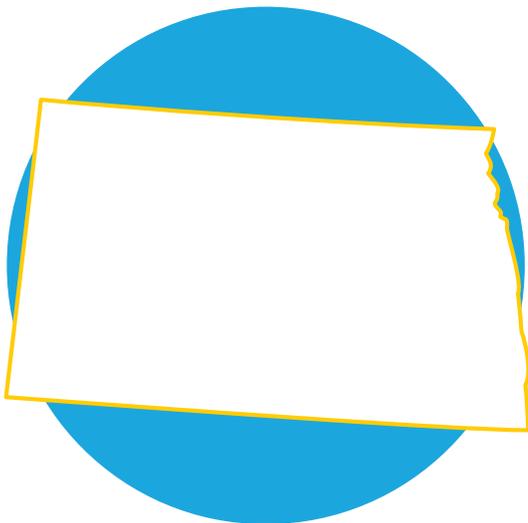
FACT SHEET

GRID RESILIENCE STATE AND TRIBAL FORMULA GRANTS: NORTH DAKOTA

As states, tribes, and territories face threats from severe weather, the **Grid Resilience State and Tribal Formula Grants** will distribute **\$2.3 billion** over five years to strengthen and modernize America's power grid against wildfires, extreme weather, and other natural disasters that are exacerbated by the climate crisis. This first round of funding applies to fiscal years 2022 and 2023.

In support of President Biden's Investing in America agenda, in May 2023, the U.S. Department of Energy awarded **\$7,499,037** to the State of **North Dakota** via the first award cycle of the Grid Resilience State and Tribal Formula Grants program, which is supported by the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law.

State awards are based on a formula that includes factors such as population size, land area, probability and severity of disruptive events, and a locality's historical expenditures on mitigation efforts. Under the administration of the **North Dakota Transmission Authority**, North Dakota will hold a competitive selection process to identify projects for which the roughly \$7.5 million in federal funding will be deployed.



GOALS INCLUDE

- › Reducing the magnitude and duration of grid outages caused by major disruptive (storm/non-storm) events and ensuring that North Dakota's grid infrastructure is less affected by these events.
- › Reducing the frequency and impacts of grid outages caused by major disruptive (storm/non-storm) events.
- › Implementing grid modernization projects to develop energy solutions that provide lower-cost energy access to disadvantaged and underserved communities and promoting energy sufficiency and energy justice in these communities.

HELPFUL LINKS

- › [Grid Resilience State and Tribal Formula Grant Program](#)
- › [About the Grid Deployment Office](#)